

**From:** [Perenchio, Lisa](#)  
**To:** [Hansen, Janette](#)  
**Cc:** [Miller, Anna](#); [Jann, Stephen](#)  
**Subject:** FW: Ohio's UIC Program  
**Date:** Thursday, May 06, 2021 2:10:10 PM  
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Hi Janette. As the State Program Coordinator for Ohio DNR, please look into Ms. Ramos' question and prepare a draft response. It might be quite challenging without access to our paper records. Thanks.

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**From:** Miller, Anna <[miller.anna@epa.gov](mailto:miller.anna@epa.gov)>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, May 05, 2021 8:43 AM  
**To:** Perenchio, Lisa <[perenchio.lisa@epa.gov](mailto:perenchio.lisa@epa.gov)>  
**Subject:** FW: Ohio's UIC Program

Lisa –

I have not worked with Ohio DNR since late 2015, before the response to the citizen was written in 2016; Ohio DNR was reassigned to someone else so I could buckle down on Michigan primacy. Last week, Steve asked me to check that 2015 review report for a discussion of referrals; there is no discussion other than a mention that Ohio is seeking to improve referrals. From what I can tell from the SharePoint files for the draft responses to the letter, the UIC portion was prepared by Jeff McDonald, FYI.

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**From:** Jann, Stephen <[jann.stephen@epa.gov](mailto:jann.stephen@epa.gov)>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, May 5, 2021 7:08 AM  
**To:** Perenchio, Lisa <[perenchio.lisa@epa.gov](mailto:perenchio.lisa@epa.gov)>; Miller, Anna <[miller.anna@epa.gov](mailto:miller.anna@epa.gov)>  
**Subject:** FW: Ohio's UIC Program

Hi Lisa and Anna. I recall that you responded to a note from me about the following, Anna. Please work together on a response to Ms. Ramos and send it directly to her. Thank you.

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**From:** [Sandra.Ramos@dnr.ohio.gov](mailto:Sandra.Ramos@dnr.ohio.gov) <[Sandra.Ramos@dnr.ohio.gov](mailto:Sandra.Ramos@dnr.ohio.gov)>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 27, 2021 10:05 AM  
**To:** Jann, Stephen <[jann.stephen@epa.gov](mailto:jann.stephen@epa.gov)>  
**Subject:** RE: Ohio's UIC Program

Thank you Mr. Jann. I look forward to hearing from you.

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**From:** Jann, Stephen <[jann.stephen@epa.gov](mailto:jann.stephen@epa.gov)>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 27, 2021 8:58 AM

**To:** Ramos, Sandra <[Sandra.Ramos@dnr.ohio.gov](mailto:Sandra.Ramos@dnr.ohio.gov)>

**Subject:** RE: Ohio's UIC Program

Good morning, Ms. Ramos. I have asked the R5 point person for the OH DNR Class II review to check our records and get back to me. I will let you know what I learn. Steve Jann

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**From:** [Sandra.Ramos@dnr.ohio.gov](mailto:Sandra.Ramos@dnr.ohio.gov) <[Sandra.Ramos@dnr.ohio.gov](mailto:Sandra.Ramos@dnr.ohio.gov)>

**Sent:** Monday, April 26, 2021 3:10 PM

**To:** Jann, Stephen <[jann.stephen@epa.gov](mailto:jann.stephen@epa.gov)>

**Subject:** Ohio's UIC Program

Mr. Jann:

I just left you a voice mail and decided an email would be better due to the amount of time that has passed since you signed the attached letter to Leatra Harper in October, 2016. I'm referring to Item 6) paragraph 2 of that letter. Therein, you told Ms. Harper that Ohio DNR referred three cases covering 10 wells to the Ohio Attorney General in the past six months. She made a public records request for all referrals to the OAG relative to the Class II UIC program and continues to ask about these 3 cases. Both ODNR and the Ohio Attorney General have been unable to locate these referrals, though we produced all non-privileged responses that were in our possession. Can you provide any insight into the existence of these referrals.

Any help you can provide would be most appreciated.

Sincerely,



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